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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. KATZ.P-101
First Inventor Dr. Harold KATZ
Title Tongue depressor and oral spray.
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 26]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 8]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 34]
- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☒ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
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13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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(if foreign priority is claimed)
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims: 20
 Independent Claims: 2
 Multiple Dependent: 18

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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	
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1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
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1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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Inventor(s): Dr. Harold Katz

Title: Combined Tongue Depressor and Oral Spray Device

Attorney Docket No.: KATZ P-101

Enclosed are:

☒ Patent application: Specification, claims, Abstract

☒ 8 sheet of drawings

☒ FORMAL ☐ INFORMAL

☐ An Assignment of the Invention and Assignment
Recordation cover sheet - will follow

☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney

☐ Priority Based on Provisional 60/406,466, Filed August 28, 2003

☐ Enclosed ☒ Not enclosed.

☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76)

☐ Preliminary Amendment.

☒ Applicant is a ☐ Large Entity - ☒ Small Entity.

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